NOTICE TO BIDDERS

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by the Township of Lakewood for the Cedarbridge Corporate Campus, Sidewalk and Traffic Light Improvements.

Bid forms, contracts and specifications are on file at the Lakewood Township Municipal Building, 231 Third Street, Second Floor, Engineering Department, Lakewood, New Jersey.

Said Bids will be received, opened and read aloud in public in Room 18 at the Lakewood Township Municipal Building, 231 Third Street, Lakewood, Ocean County, New Jersey on Wednesday, February 1, 2012 at 11:00AM prevailing time.

Copies of the bid forms, contracts and specifications may be obtained from the Lakewood Township Engineering Department upon payment of the sum of \$50.00 for each set. All checks to be payable to Remington, Vernick & Vena Engineers.

PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED PRIOR TO OBTAINING THE SPECIFICATIONS, EITHER BY MAIL OR IN PERSON.

The Township of Lakewood reserves the right to consider the bids for sixty (60) days after the receipt thereof, and further reserves the right to reject any or all bids, either in whole or in part and to waive any informality in any way and make such awards or take action as may be in the best interest of the Township of Lakewood.

Bids must be on the bid form prepared by Remington, Vernick & Vena Engineers, in the manner designated therein and required by the specifications, must be enclosed in sealed envelopes bearing the name and address of the bidder and the project title on the outside of the envelope. Bids shall be addressed to Jeff Staiger, Township Engineer, Lakewood Township, Municipal Building, 231 Third Street, Second Floor, Engineering Department, Lakewood, New Jersey 08701.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check or bid bond duly executed by the bidder as principal and having as surety thereon a surety company approved by the Township of Lakewood in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) but in no case in excess of \$20,000.00 of the amount bid. Any such bid bond shall be without endorsement or conditions. The bid shall also be accompanied by a certificate letter from a surety company stating that it will provide the bidder with the completion bond.

The award of the contract shall be made subject to the necessary moneys to do the work being provided by the Township of Lakewood in a lawful manner. The contract to be executed by the successful bidder will provide that it shall not become effective until the necessary moneys to do the work have been provided by the Township of Lakewood in a lawful manner. The award shall further be subjected to the securing of necessary State, Federal or Local permits governing the work.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et. seq., N.J.A.C. 17:27 (Affirmative Action), P.L. 1963. C150 (New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act), and Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12101, et.seq.).

The contractor is further notified that he must comply with P.L. 1977, c. 33, and submit a Disclosure Statement listing stockholders with his bid.

The contractor is further notified that he must comply with P.L. 1999 c.238 Public Works Contractor Registration Act and he and any subcontractors must be registered in accordance with the act.

The contractor is also further notified that he must comply with P.L. 2004 c. 57 and submit proof of business registration and submit proof of business registration for any named subcontractors in accordance with the act.

By Order of the Township of Lakewood Lakewood Township, Ocean County, New Jersey

Dated: Friday, January 13, 2012